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Subject: Re: Call For Weekly Items Due COB Wed April 27th

Hi Meghan and Richard: 2 items; one on tire crumb and the other (for the 60-day outlook) on the anticipated release of the BU methodology and compendium. Note for the latter, ERAS (Jason Mills) reviewed the write up. Thanks. -Nicole

Tire Crumb

- In support of the multi-agency research action plan on the use of tire crumb on playing fields and playgrounds (www.epa.gov/tirecrumb), on May 12, a small group of EPA staff and managers from ORCR and ORD- as well as staff from the Consumer Product Safety Commission - will be visiting **Ex. 3 [CERCLA section 104(e)(7)(42 USC 9604(e)(7))]**
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Public Announcements in the next 60 days

In late May/early June, ORCR anticipates releasing the *Methodology for Evaluating the Beneficial Use of Industrial Non-Hazardous Secondary Materials* ("secondary materials") completed in April, and the *Beneficial Use Compendium: A Collection of Resources and Tools to Support Beneficial Use Evaluations* by posting them on our website and sharing them with stakeholders. These two documents are intended to assist states, local governments, tribal authorities, regulated communities, and the general public with evaluating the environmental and human health impacts associated with the beneficial use of secondary materials. The Methodology provides an overarching process that can be used to evaluate a wide range of secondary materials and associated encapsulated and unencapsulated beneficial uses, while the Compendium provides a more detailed discussion of specific technical considerations and lists specific resources and tools, such as models and screening benchmarks, to further assist with evaluations. The Methodology can be used to evaluate the risks from unencapsulated uses of coal combustion residuals and fully completes our commitment to Recommendation 1 in the OIG Evaluation Report, *EPA Promoted the use of Coal Ash Products with Incomplete Information* (11-P00173-167).

Nicole Villamizar

On Apr 27, 2016, at 12:33 PM, Radtke, Meghan <Radtke.Meghan@epa.gov> wrote:

Here's a reminder that I'm eager to receive your Weekly items. Please send them our way by COB today.

Thank you!

Meghan

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Hello, Managers!

This is your weekly reminder to send Weekly Items our way. Now, I know this isn't your most exciting task of the week, so I'd like to highlight how much OLEM IO appreciates getting these updates from us on Thursday afternoon. They, in turn, peruse our entries for the most interesting and then pass them up the chain to Gina. So, if you're like me and sometimes grumble about doing these every week, take a minute to contemplate that what **you** write could end up in the Administrator's Office! Cool, no?

Please aim to send your Weekly entries to Richard and me by COB Wednesday the 27th.

As a reminder, the report is forward-looking with items occurring/continuing between May 2nd and May 13th. If an important meeting or item occurred in the last two weeks and we didn't have it on the report, feel free to submit. Also please remember we have a 60 day outlook for all speaking engagements and all public announcements (rules, memos, web postings).

Please submit entries for ALL outside presentations or meetings; documents or packages that need OLEM review or signature; and upcoming project/rule milestones and/or accomplishments. Attached, for your reference, is last week's Weekly.

Thank you!!!!

Meghan

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